

Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please amend paragraph [0008] of the published application (U.S. Pub. 2006/0257453) as follows:

The term "fat-soluble active ingredient" as used herein denotes any physiologically active ingredient that is soluble in lipids and insoluble or sparingly soluble in water. Examples of such fat-soluble active ingredients are fat-soluble vitamins, viz., vitamin A, D, E and K and derivatives thereof such as vitamin A esters, e.g. vitamin A acetate and palmiate palmitate, and vitamin E esters, e.g. tocopherol acetate; carotenoids and carotinoid derivatives, e.g., are α - or β -carotene, 8'-apo- β -carotenal, 8'-apo- β -carotenoic acid esters such as the ethyl ester, canthaxanthin, astaxanthin, astaxanthin esters, lycopene, lutein, zeaxanthin or crocetin and their derivatives; polyunsaturated fatty acids, e.g. eicosapentaenoic acid, docosahexaenoic acid, arachidonic acid and γ -linolenic acid and/or ethylester. The fat-soluble active ingredient may be present in the formulation in an amount of from about 0.1 wt.-% to about 80 wt.-%, especially from about 0.5 wt.-% to about 60 wt.-%, based on the total weight of the composition. The fat-soluble active ingredient may be a plant or animal oil or fat, particularly sunflower oil, palm oil or corn oil.